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SUBSCRIPTIONS-IN ADVANCE.

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KENTUCKY is just now a fine field for life insurance business.

If the Cincinnati mob that visited TOM CAMPBELL'S house in March, 1884, had found that distinguished scoundrel at home, he would today be shoveling coal-and wishing he was taking people might have given him the ice man.

"FREE bread funds for the poor" COXEY's army. It was in 1894, under more fully insured. a Democratic Low Tariff, that the contribution boxes to receive the which was a black bean! funds. At the same time the great were unemployed under Free-trade.

SPEAKING of the funnyosities practised by the Goebelite State Election lished, and calls for that bean and its Commission at Frankfort, the Hon. submission to the Bean Bureau of the GREEN R. KELLER, Democrat, has Garden Seed Department at Washingthis to say in The Carlisle Mercury: | ton.

"One day they decided that JOHN Judge of the Circuit Court by seventy- didn't tell his bereaved family the -not another county in the District name of the lucky man who drew five votes cast for him in Knox county cast any votes,-and the next day such a pretty prize package as that they decided that the election so far as lonesome little black-or red-bean! it applied to state office was invalid on Commonwealth's Attorney Bon account of the thin ballots used.

"They threw out the entire vote of Jefferson county so far as it applied to deserve to go wobbling down the corriit applied to the City Council, Police "Jack and the Beanstalk" and the Judge, Senators and Representatives. other fellow who struck BILLY PAT-There was never such partial doings in any civilized community. [Now]

can do no wrong;" and every fellow will cultivate 250 acres of the weed this who wears a Goebel collar is a King- year. for the present at least.

IT is supposed that any officer of the law is always certain of his premi- outsores, on legs, arms, hands, neck or face? Then

About Bob's Black Bean, be, And aspe-

be the case when the officer is a Commonwealth's Attor- sores will soon heal. fate of a fellow human being-or perhaps half a dozen fellow human

Up in Frankfort they have a fellow named FRANKLIN-ROBERT FRANK-LIN, to be polite, -whom the people of Franklin county have endued with three lines in length, are FREE to all. the office of Commonwealth's Attor- Business Advertisements Inserted ney. Judged by the nomenclature of his surroundings, this official ought advertise for. We wish advertisers to feel that they are not imposing on us by using our free columns. the extent of making no disguise of mendovertisers MUST furnish copy, which can be his purpose to convict somebody of left at the office or sent by mail, killing Mr. GOEBEL.

A few days ago he set about formulating a lot of evidence upon which a number of persons might be arrested; and THE LEDGER was at pains to procure a copy of The Cincinnati Enquirer-which cannot tell a lie-that it might be sure to make no misstatement of fact in regard to the minutest detail.

THE LEDGER chooses to term this "BOB FRANKLIN'S Black Bean Story;" and to insure it against escape a neat garden fence has been builded around

Here it is, just as it appeared in The Cincinnati Enquirer of Saturday, March 10, 1900:

"A letter introduced by Commonwealth's Attorney ROBERT FRANKLIN today contains the information that before his death a few days ago Brassfield Ber-TRAM, Sheriff of Breckinridge county, stated to members of his family that he was in Frankfort when GOEBEL was shot, and that he had knowledge beforehand

that he would be assassinated. "According to the letter, BER-TRAM said that on the night previous to the shooting of Senator GOEBEL about twenty-five picked men gathered in the office of the Secretary of State and put a quantity of beans in a box. The beans were all white save one, which was black. The man who drew the black bean was the man who would fire the shot. The letter does not say whether or not BERTRAM named the man who drew the black bean."

There you have it! That's the sort of "evidence" upon Found spectacles Gold at this office.

which Tom CAMPBELL and company are causing the arrest of gentlemen, and upon which they propose to "legally" hang somebody, as threatened by Mister JUSTUS GOEBEL!

Consider, please-

A letter, written by a nameless somebody, says that just before he died-what a pity that he is dead-a certain Sheriff told his family that he knew all about the killing of Mr. GOEBEL the day before he was killed; and then he goes on to tell of the 25 picked men and the picked beans.

What a likely story, to be sure! There's nothing in Munchausen that can hold a tallow dip to it.

It is well that the late lamented Sheriff Brassworks Bertram held ing is expected. The sheriff and counthe number of picked men down to 25 -for if he had stated a greater number engaged in such a delicate underthe "horse laugh" or said he was doing some pretty tall lying.

And there's another point upon seem to have passed away with which THE LEDGER would like to be

Sheriff Brassknobs Bertram says lamp-posts in New York's streets were all those beans were white beans, ex- \$1,500 bond. decorated with such signs and with cept one poor little lonesome bean

Now, mightn't Sheriff Brasstacks New York Democratic dailies were col- BERTRAM be mistaken? Mightn't it lecting free clothes for the men who have been a red bean? Black beans are "skase," while red beans are more plentiful.

THE LEDGER wants this fact estab-

To conclude-What a blooming HENRY WILSON had been elected pity that Sheriff BRASSKEYS BERTRAM

FRANKLIN and his Black Bean Story state officers but let it count so far as dors of Time hand-in-hand with TERSON.

Messrs, George G. and Carrol Hamil-You see, Bro. Keller, "the King ton, the tobacco kings of Bath county,

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between East end of carline and Short street,
or Court street, or on Third between Court and
Market, a Diamond Stud. Liberal reward if returned to this office.

Found.

#### THE COMMONWEALTH.

ANOTHER FEUD STARTED.

Iwo Persons Shot and Five Others Seriously Cut in a Quarrel at a School Closing.

Brooksville, Ky., March 14 .- At the

losing of the Forest Grove school at Berlin, a difficulty occurred beween the Hamilton brothers and H B. Morgan and sons, over a young Hamilton beating a son of Morgan's. Straude Hamilton shot Morgan Morgan, the boy in question. Arthur Morgan then shot Corlis Hamilton, who is not expected to live. Arthur and H. B. Morgan and the three Hamilton boys were severely cut. The younger brother may die. A lynch-

ty judge have been called. Accused of Buildozing.

Lexington, Ky., March 14.-Deputy United States Marshal Con McCarthy arrested Curtis Lavin and Harry and Charles Dodd, election officers at Walnut Hill precinct, in this-county. last November, for violating the election laws. It is charged that they refused to allow several Negroes to vote. They were taken before Commissioner Hill, who released them on

An Overdose of Morphine.

Georgetown, Ky., March 14.-John T. Johnson, aged 35 years and unmarried, who was formerly well-to-do. died at the Moore house from an overdose of morphine. It is not be lieved that the drug was taken with suicidal intent.

Raided a Still.

Richmond, Ky., March 14.-Revenue Collector Millard West, of Lancaster and a posse of deputies recently raided a moonshine still near Irwine, Estill county. A large quantity of beer and whisky was found, but the operators escaped.

Put Under Bond.

Louisville, Ky., March 14.-Richard Egelstone, the steamboatman, who is said to have married women in Cincinnati, Pittsburgh and Indianapolis, and was arrested on charge of bigamy, was placed under \$3,000 bond.

Convention Will Be Held Late. Louisville, Ky., March 14.-The republican state convention this year will probably come later than usual C. M. Barnett, chairman of the state central committee, says: "The limit s April 15."

Boys Bitten By a Mad Dog. Richmond, Ky., March 14.-Carl Still, white, and Charles Kavanaugh colored, were bitten by a mad dog. They were taken to the Burgan mad stone at Foxtown.

FOUL PLAY FEARED.

A Waman Found Dead in Her Home With Her Nose Broken-The House Was Not Robbed.

Noblesville, Ind., March 14 .- Mrs. Mollie Parish, 50 years old, was found street at 8 o'clock in the morning. When found she was lying on her face in a pool of blood, with her nose broken. Her husband was on night duty at the strawboard works, and she was alone. It is feared that her 10 East Third Street, death was the result of foul play.

Mr. and Mrs. Parish had considerable money about the house, but aone of it was taken. They lived over Crull's cab stable, and she was a quiet, peaceable woman. No cause Some Changes That Will Bring can be assigned for the act.

Trust Books Must Be Shown.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 14.-In the suit for a receiver, brought by De Pauw university against the plate glass trust, the superior court ordered defendants to produce all contracts between the American Plate Glass and Penn Plate Glass Cos. with reference to the sale of goods of the first named to the last named compaay; also all correspondence with reference to such sales; also all journals, edgers, each books and books showng profits or losses on such sales.

Zulu Chiefs Quarreling. Lebombo, March 5, via Lourenzo Marques, March 12.-Trouble is expected between Chief Ogelequana and Chief Umbogase, in British Zululand. The Boers are anxious that the chiefs should quarrel, and they are prepared to support the former, as is also the Swazi queen. The Zulu king, however, upholds Umboguse. The women at Piet Rief langer are lamenting over the heavy Boer losses around La-

Quarrel Over a Woman.

Kokomo, Ind., March 14 .- Lanta Prendergrass and Jesse Daly quarceled over the latter's divorced wife. Daly picked up a brick, and Prendergrass used a seantling, crushing Daly's skull. Daly died without regain ing consciousness. Prendergrass is in

British Cruiser Saved.

Kingston, Jamaica, March 14.-The British cruiser Hermes, which ten days ago, while on a voyage from here to Bermuda, broke her propeller in midocean, and was taken to Cat island, was towed in here by the British eruiser Crescent, which had been dispatched to her assistance.

Petition in Bankruptey Filed. New York, March 14.-Henry J. Schloss and Nathan J. Schloss, who composed the firm of N. J. Schloss & Co., formerly manufacturers of clothing, have filed a petition in bankrupt-Liabilities, \$735,000; no assets

Increased the Amount.

Washngton, March 14.-The senate committee on appropriations reported the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill to the senate. 10 East Third St., MAYSVILLE, KY. A., 408 Vine street, Cincinnati, C

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